## ELECTRONIC INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Electronic Version v18
Stylesheet Version v18.0

Confirmation Number:

### Title of Invention

BIPOLAR ELECTROSURGICAL CLAMP FOR REMOVING AND MODIFYING TISSUE

Application Number: 09/839427

09/839427 1754

First Named Applicant: Jean Woloszko

Attorney Docket Number: G-1
Art Unit: 3739
Examiner: Lee Cohen

Search string: (5496314 or 5496317 or 5571100 or 5633578 or 5860975 or 4682596 or 5078717 or 5267994 or 5273524 or 5300069 or 5312400 or 5334140 or 5342357 or 5514130

or 5569242 or 4593691 or 4931047 or 4988933 or 5178620 or 5366443 or 5380277 or 5419767 or 5697281 or 5697882 or 5697909 or 4532924 or 4765331 or 4976711 or 5125928 or 4043342 or 4228800 or 4248231 or 4326529 or 4381007 or 4476862 or 4706667 or 5009656 or 5584872 or 5609150 or 5676693 or 5725524 or 4232676 or 5007908 or 5370675 or 5838317 or 4040426 or 4116188 or 45482470 or 4823731

or 5098431 ).pn

#### **US Patent Documents**

Note: Applicant is not required to submit a paper copy of cited US Patent Documents

| in | it Cite.No. | Patent No. | Date       | Patentee          | Kind | Class | Subclass |
|----|-------------|------------|------------|-------------------|------|-------|----------|
|    | 1           | 5496314    | 1996-03-05 | Eggers            |      |       |          |
|    | 2           | 5496317    | 1996-03-05 | Goble et al.      |      |       |          |
|    | 3           | 5571100    | 1996-11-05 | Goble et al.      |      |       |          |
|    | 4           | 5633578    | 1997-05-27 | Eggers et al.     |      |       |          |
|    | 5           | 5860975    | 1999-01-19 | Goble et al.      |      |       |          |
|    | 6           | 4682596    | 1987-07-28 | Bales et al.      |      |       |          |
|    | 7           | 5078717    | 1992-01-07 | Parins et al.     |      |       |          |
|    | 8           | 5267994    | 1993-12-07 | Gentelia et al.   |      |       |          |
|    | 9           | 5273524    | 1993-12-28 | Fox et al.        |      |       |          |
|    | 10          | 5300069    | 1994-04-05 | Hunsberger et al. |      |       |          |
|    | 11          | 5312400    | 1994-05-17 | Bales et al.      |      |       |          |
|    | 12          | 5334140    | 1994-08-02 | Philips           |      |       |          |
|    | 13          | 5342357    | 1994-08-30 | Nardella          |      |       |          |
|    | 14          | 5514130    | 1996-05-07 | Baker             |      |       |          |
|    | 15          | 5569242    | 1996-10-29 | Lax et al.        |      |       |          |
|    | 16          | 4593691    | 1986-06-10 | Lindstrom et al.  |      |       |          |
|    | 17          | 4931047    | 1990-06-05 | Broadwin et al.   |      |       |          |
|    | 18          | 4998933    | 1991-03-12 | Eggers et al.     |      |       |          |

| 19 | 5178620 | 1993-01-12 | Eggers et al.      |  |  |
|----|---------|------------|--------------------|--|--|
| 20 | 5366443 | 1994-11-22 | Eggers et al.      |  |  |
| 21 | 5380277 | 1995-01-10 | Phillips           |  |  |
| 22 | 5419767 | 1995-05-30 | Eggers et al.      |  |  |
| 23 | 5697281 | 1997-12-16 | Eggers et al.      |  |  |
| 24 | 5697882 | 1997-12-16 | Eggers et al.      |  |  |
| 25 | 5697909 | 1997-12-16 | Eggers et al.      |  |  |
| 26 | 4532924 | 1985-08-06 | Auth et al.        |  |  |
| 27 | 4765331 | 1988-08-23 | Petruzzi et al.    |  |  |
| 28 | 4976711 | 1990-12-11 | Parins et al.      |  |  |
| 29 | 5125928 | 1992-06-30 | Parins et al.      |  |  |
| 30 | 4043342 | 1997-08-23 | Morrison, Jr.      |  |  |
| 31 | 4228800 | 1980-10-21 | Degler, Jr. et al. |  |  |
| 32 | 4248231 | 1981-02-03 | Herczog et al.     |  |  |
| 33 | 4326529 | 1982-04-27 | Doss et al.        |  |  |
| 34 | 4381007 | 1983-04-26 | Doss               |  |  |
| 35 | 4476862 | 1984-10-16 | Pao                |  |  |
| 36 | 4706667 | 1987-11-17 | Roos               |  |  |
| 37 | 5009656 | 1991-04-23 | Reimels            |  |  |
| 38 | 5584872 | 1996-12-17 | LaFontaine et al.  |  |  |
| 39 | 5609151 | 1997-03-11 | Mulier et al.      |  |  |
| 40 | 5676693 | 1997-10-14 | LaFontaine et al.  |  |  |
| 41 | 5725524 | 1998-03-10 | Mulier et al.      |  |  |
| 42 | 4232676 | 1980-11-11 | Herczog            |  |  |
| 43 | 5007908 | 1991-04-16 | Rydell             |  |  |
| 44 | 5370675 | 1994-12-06 | Edwards et al.     |  |  |
| 45 | 5383917 | 1995-01-24 | Desai et al.       |  |  |
| 46 | 4040426 | 1977-08-09 | Morrison, Jr.      |  |  |
| 47 | 4116198 | 1978-09-26 | Roos               |  |  |
| 48 | 4548207 | 1985-10-22 | Reimels            |  |  |
| 49 | 4823791 | 1989-04-25 | D'Amelio et al.    |  |  |
| 50 | 5098431 | 1992-03-24 | Rydell             |  |  |

#### Remarks

Note: Remarks are not for responding to an office action.

This submission is part 2 of 6 parts each submitted on January 15, 2005. The first part of this submission (part 1) has been concomittently filed via priority mail (1 box) with instructions for the PTO to charge the proper fee. Accordingly, we do not believe that this part (part 2) of this IDS submission should require an additional fee. Thank you.

# Signature

| Examiner Name | Date |  |  |
|---------------|------|--|--|
|               |      |  |  |